

Title (en)  
APPARATUS COMPRISING MEANS FOR MEASURING THE HUMIDITY OF A GAS AND METHOD FOR MEASURING HUMIDITY WITHIN SUCH AN APPARATUS

Title (de)  
GERÄT MIT MITTEL ZUR MESSUNG DER FEUCHTIGKEIT EINES GASES UND VERFAHREN ZUR MESSUNG DER FEUCHTIGKEIT IN EINEM SOLCHEN GERÄT

Title (fr)  
APPAREIL COMPRENANT DES MOYENS DE MESURE DE L'HUMIDITÉ D'UN GAZ ET PROCÉDÉ DE MESURE DE L'HUMIDITÉ DANS UN TEL APPAREIL

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Abstract (en)  
An apparatus such as a domestic oven incorporates an induction motor (30) which drives a fan (4). The temperature of the circulating gas and the slip of the rotor, coupled to the fan, are used to determine the humidity of gas within the oven. The temperature of the stator coil is also taken into account. The fan (4) is driven with relatively high torque to maximise the signal to noise ratio. The fan may be provided as the main fan or as a secondary fan dedicated to humidity measurement. In either case the fan has a long operational life time.

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